FINNISH GENEALOGY GROUP MEMBERSHIP MEETING Via Zoom – 11 Mar 2023, 9:30 AM

Call to order 9:30 AM by Diane Pearson

No guests

Changes to agenda and minutes: none; approved

Financial Report, Feb - Deposits: \$20.00; Expenses: \$332.28; Balance \$7754.32

Church paid; waiting for information on Newspapers.com Membership: 65 family groups, 64 paid, and 1 honorary.

VP report programs: Mar – Barb, Finnish wars to Civil War

Apr – John Hanson, 20th century Finnish wars; Marianne Wargelin @ 9a

May – Mary Erickson – himmeli presentation

Communications – newsletter going out after the meeting to various past members and those interested in FGG; if you have announcements, give them to Diane

Old business: Board review of Policies and Procedures in May

New business: none

Member announcements

Formidablegenealogist.com > 2 professional genealogists, also on Instagram

Chronicling America newspapers

Barb – Finland House update, initial meeting, starting proposal

Finlandia University closing, Finlandia Foundation to help keep archives and FAR continuing

Salolampi Adult Week starting 20 May

Kenneth Daniels scholarship foundation offering a Salolampi scholarship for a villager this year

Adjourned 9:56a, break, Barb Wilson's presentation on Finnish historical wars

Respectfully submitted by Kathy Adamson and Greg Isola, co-secretaries, 16 Mar 2023